His life is long whose work is well, And be his station low or high, He who the most good works can tell Lives longest, though he soonest die.

Then, as the swift-winged moments speed, Freight them with wealth of truth and

With garnered sheaves of thought and For the glad barvest-home above, Within the rankling breast of Hate.

In desert ways where no flowers bloom, In the scenes where folly sits in state, In wan-faced Sorrow's house of gloom Sow love, and taste its fruitage sweet,

Sow smiles and see the desert spring, Sow wisdom for its harvest meet. Sow sunlight for the joy 'twill bring.

How to Tell Gentleman.

You should never judge by appearances. The other day a little weazen-faced man, wearing a \$3.50 suit of clothes, went to one of the big hotels and registered himself from Texas, asked for a room, and if breakfast was on the table.

The Olympian clerk gazed at him scornfully for a moment and then

languidly remarked: "Any baggage?"

"No," replied the guest. "In that case," said the clerk "the rules of the house compell me to insist on payment in advance."

"Very well," said the guest, not appearing offended; "take two days' board out of this"-and from a wad of greenbacks as big as his arm he produced a one hundred dollar take tea. Immediately on being

"I beg your pardon," stammered the abashed clerk; "but we are so often taken in, and your face not being familiar to me, I-"

"No offense," cheerily responded the guest; "business is business, and annoved at the question, and rules are rules. It does look a little stammered forth the truth, "I don't odd to be without baggage; but as know." "Don't know?" replied the cattle dealers ain't much on style,

"That's all right, Colonel," said the clerk; "put up your money; we in her interrogations, despite the know a gentleman when we see him. Jim, show the gentleman up to 146. Call for the best in the house, General."

The old man stowed away an ample breakfast; got the clerk to give him small bills for the hundred dollar note, ask where Billy Coolbaugh, the banker, had his office; inquired when they had dinner; desired the clerk to tell Mr. Farwell if he called, that he would be back at two o'clock; then-went and hasn't been seen since.

The clerk subsequently discovered that the \$100 bill was had, and the sad event has cast a gloom over the hotel office.

Set a Good Example.

The first, and perhaps the most potent influence determining the career of our children, is our own conduct. We have little reason, and no right, to expect them to act bet- bottle full of milk which it had in ter than we give them an example. its hands. The babe was dry and If we are hasty, violent, unreasonable, intemperate or profane in our speech, careless in our habits, im- nity nor by which to tell the dispure in our lives, we have every tance it had come. The box could reason to expect that our children hardly have floated a great distance will grow up to be like us. Nay, however. A day or so before this we may properly fear that they will discovery the same man saw the make bad haste to distance us on body of a dead child, apparently a the evil road; for experience, and the terror of the law, and a wholesome restraint from society, keep us somewhat in check. To the child all these things are wanting. Think | was told to remember the text, which of the effect on a boy, of seeing his was: "Why stand ve here all the father in a rough-and-tumble fight, day idle? Go into my vineyard and or of hearing him threaten to kill a work, and whatsoever is right, that neighbor, perhaps a member of his I will pay thee." Johnny came own family! This is the kind of home and was asked to repeat the education too many children have text. He thought it over a while, who are growing up to be your fel- and then cried out, "What do you low-citizen and mine, and whom stand around here doing nuffin' for? some reckless demagogue will try to Go into my barnyard and go to persuade ought to be at the top of work, and I'll make it all right with society. Think of the influence on you." a child of habitual coarseness, harshness and the want of self-control in those who stand to him as his types of men and women! Let it never pass out of our thought; let it cling to us and haunt us day by day, that our children are deriving a large and formative part of their education from our daily manners, and especially from the tone of our daily life. The spirit that rules us creates the spirit that rules them.

Shakspeare's Intellect. A Scotchman was asserting that some of the most celebrated poets and brightest intellects the world ever produced were descendants of his race, and quoted Scott, Burns, and others as evidence. An Englishman who was present retorts: car window to kiss his girl good-by, "I suppose you will claim next that when the train pulled out so rapidly even Shakspeare was a Scotchman." that he kissed au old African "Weel," he replied, "I'm nae so sure female at the next station .- Joneso' that; but ane thing I do ken-he boro News. had intellect ensuch to be a Scotch-

A John Bull, conversing with a Canadian Indian, asked him if he to turn his attention to the backknew that the sun never sets on the Queen's dominions. "No," said the have finished with the elevated Indian. "Do you know the reason why?" asked John. "Because heaven is afraid to trust an Englishman in the bark," was the savage's be distinguished when you sit down

An English Opinion of an Am-

the present day, most of whom are

inspired by conditions of life and

adventure, by whole social systems

side-splitting 'Bluenose,' and they

have the great charm for us, of

themselves concerning themes of

joking, not to mention that their

funniest effects are often uninten-

Artemus Ward, Mark Twain, Mr.

Brete Harte, and more recently Mr.

Haberton, have established them-

selves with English play-goers, and

as laughter-compelling friends of

bored mankind .- London Spectator.

Inconvenient Questions.

A gentleman recently invited a

well-known lecturer to his home to

seated at the table, a little daughter

of the gentleman said to the guest, quite abruptly, "Where is your

wife?" The gentleman, having re-

cently been separated from the

partner of his life, was surprised

infant terrible. "Why don't you

Finding that the child presisted

mild reproof of the parents, he con-

cluded to make a clean breast of the

matter, and have it over at once.

So he said, with calmness, "Well,

we don't live together. We think,

as we can't agree, we'd better not."

He stifled a groan as the child began

again, and darted an exasperated

But the little torment would not

be quieted until she exclaimed:

"Can't agree! Then why not fight

it out, as pa and ma do?"-Provi-

The Story of Moses.

A few days ago a fisherman, whose

name the reporter could not learn,

living a mile or so below Covington

in Nebraska, noticed a box floating

down stream and as it was not far

out of his way he secured it. It

proved to be water-tight and in it

was a passenger, a healthy looking

baby, alive and tugging away at a

comfortable and well clothed. There

was no clue about it as to its pater-

new born infant, floating in the

A little boy who went to church

"I know where there is another

arm just as pretty as this one," said

a young Oil Citizen to his sweet-

heart, as he pinched her fair arm

vesterday evening. The storm that

quickly gathered upon the lady's

brow as quickly passed away when

the young man pinched her other

arm, and said, "It is this one, dear."

Irate passenger-"Driver, why in thunder don't you whip up your

horses?" Driver-"Well, you see,

follerin' benind. Exercise does him

At the depot, the other day, a

young man put his head out of the

Since Mr. Edison has started out

in earnest on a hunt after noises, a

vard cat problem as soon as he shall

There is no bumble-bee but can

keep up with us."-Puck.

stream, but he could not get it.

look at her parents.

dence Journal.

The Western Rural. The Western Rural comes to our What is called 'American' humor table from week to week complete (and various as are its kinds, every in all its departments. In matters one knows what is meant by the relating to the farm, orchard and definition) did not take with us arden, it is unsurpassed, and yet it readily, chiefly because nothing fordoes not ignore the family circle. It eign ever does take readily with is a fireside companion, much enus; and secondly, because there was joyed by the women folks and the a great deal of native humor just at children, each having a department that time when the American began full of interest to them. The Rural to be imported. Was, for instance, is increasing in circulation and in-Sam Slick ever thoroughly apprefluence, and deserves the patronage clated in England? We should like of all interested in the cultivation of to see whether a reprint of the the soil, or in increased intelligence clock-maker's quaint and shrewd among the sons of toil. philosophy would be acceptable to A political speaker accused a rival generation much harder up for a augh than was that to which Judge Haliburton discoursed of soft sawder and human nature. There is no resemblance between the Clock-

tional, and funny only to us. Thus, hardens into a solid lump which

of "unfathomable meanness," and then, rising to the occasion, said: "I warn him not to persist in his disgraceful course, or he'll find that maker and American humorists of two of us can play at that game." "How small we treat the tramps?"

asks the New York Sun. Oh, well, if you are going to fraternize with that did not exist in the time of the them in that way, we believe they generally take straight whisky. rootlessness, absolute novelty and A hopeful minister says that he perfect audacity. They can't be has no doubt that the time will come

conventional because there's no when the members of a church choir onventionalism where their jokes will behave just as well as other hail from, and they are a law to folks. Tabasheer is a transparent fluid

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